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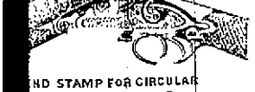

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Revival at the M. E. Church at Salem grows in interest.

The Albany *Register* is to have lots of new material.

Sam Colver, the Modoc War Lecturer, has arrived at Salem.

Wheat says the *Courier* is selling at 90 cents a bushel at Lafayette.

A man in Linn county killed fourteen ducks at one shot the other day.

Dr. Golden of Albany had a raft of cedar logs washed away last Monday. Value, $400.

Anthony Soldere was robbed at Lafayette of a small sum of money on last Thursday night. So says the *Courier*.

A window curtain was set on fire in the house of N. Gilbert at Salem, on Thursday, and came near producing a conflagration.

The officers of Rebekah Degree Lodge No. 2, will be installed at Oregon City on Tuesday evening by Grand Master Apperson.

R. R. Thompson has ordered a steam plow from England to be used on his farm in Yamhill county. It will cost the round sum of $12,000.

The Board of Equalization has completed its labors, just how or what labors we can't tell, but they have gone home. We will hear more anon, perhaps.

Some thieves tried to get into the store of Messrs. Fields & Strickler at Oregon City on Tuesday night, but after breaking out two panes of glass were frightened away.

The Linn county Farmer's club is fully organized and meets twice a month at Cowan's school house, six miles southeast of Albany. The Club begins with favorable prospects.

The I. O. O. F., of Buena Vista, Polk county, elected the following officers for 1873 at their last meeting: W. B. Ramsey, N. G.; L. M. Hall, V. G.; E. C. Hall, R. S., H. Loop, P. S.; H. M. Holdor, Treasurer.

A Yamhillian was chopping wood the other day and as he raised his ax to strike a heavy blow it caught on a clothes line stretched in the yard, and it came down on the back of the chopper's neck, and they had to put him in his little bed.

At the Oregon City postoffice, the total number of money orders issued from January 1st, 1872, to January 1st, 1873, 832; amount on the same, $15,130 31; fees on the same, $105. Number of orders paid, 260; amount paid on the same, $9,076 01.

The report of the Recorder of Albany shows that the city received from all sources, for the fiscal year ending January 14th, 1873, $7,733 46. The disbursements for the same time were $7,040 39, leaving a balance in the treasury, in cash, of $693 07.

Occidental Lodge No. 36, I. O. O. F., at Mc-Minnville installed the following officers on the 6th inst., M. F. Roberts, N. G.; H. V. V. Johnson, Treas.; H. A. Brown, R. S.; S. Shafer, Warden; D. H. Jones, Conductor; John Heaton, I. G.; C. G. Rowell R. S. to N. G.; H. C. Dale, L. S., to N. G.

The officers of Rebekah Degree Lodge at Salem, were installed Tuesday evening, as follows: G. W. Jordan, N. G.; Mrs. Geo. Cook, V. G.; Mrs. E. E. Wheeler, Treas.; C. A. Reed, Con.; Mrs. S. C. Adams, R. S. of N. G.; Mrs. J. D. Jordan, L. S. of N. G.; Mrs. J. H. Howell, L. S. of V. G.

From Harrisburg we learn that Covenant Lodge No. 23, has elected officers for 1873, as follows: J. M. Skelly, N. G.; J. F. McCartney, V. G.; W. C. Davis, R. S.; Henry Reams, Treas.; Messrs. T. J. Stites, Levi Douglas and W. C. Davis, Trustees. Covenant Lodge has done exceedingly well in this selection.

Already, says the *Plaindealer*, a new line of steam colliers is to be put on for shipping the coal of Coos Bay to market. The impetus which will be given to trade by the new movement will be of great advantage not only to Coos county, but to the whole of Southern Oregon. We are further informed that the present companies, the Newport, Hastport and North Bend intend to increase their shipping facilities also.

The *Statesman* of Friday, says: "Gen. Palmer, agent at Siletz, arrived yesterday from the Reservation. He informs us that the Indians are getting more quiet on the question of dancing their ancestors back to life. Only the old Indians seem now to place any serious confidence in the prophesies about the expulsion of the whites and the restoration of the domain to the Indians. The greater number of the young people who engage in the superstitious dance, do so for more fun and excitement. Gen. Palmer does not apprehend any trouble, and is confident that he can shortly put an entire stop to the dancing mummeries."

A correspondent of the Albany *Register*, writing from Harrisburg, says: "This has certainly been a 'Happy New Year' to the farmer, as almost simultaneous with it, the price of wheat advanced from 65 to 75 cents per bushel. The change was too great and sudden, though, for many of them, and we now hear some of those who had 'waited for *six bits*,' say they believe it will soon go up to *one dollar*, so they will wait awhile longer. What the future may bring, of course we cannot tell, but any one who will take pains to figure, can readily see that our grain dealers are paying all the market will warrant—and, in fact, a little more. Quite an amount, however, has already changed hands, and we hope the financial crisis will soon have passed."

The *Mercury* says: "The coal fields of Coos county may be said to be almost inexhaustible, and in years to come cannot fail to be a source of wealth to that country. A railroad once constructed to the mines, it will in all probability extend up the Coquille river, opening up the vast forest of cedar, fir, pine, hemlock, maple and myrtle, and on out to the Umpqua valley tap the C. and C. railroad at Roseburg. It has been said the road would never pay, but competent judges now assert to the contrary. The great coal mining and lumbering interests of Coos county must of necessity employ a great army of men to work them, who, of course, cannot engage in agriculture, and must necessarily draw their supplies from abroad. It is idle to assume that the present source of supplies will continue, when an adjoining county offers for sale everything they require at one-third less cost.

SUPREME COURT PROCEEDINGS.

THURSDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Court met pursuant to adjournment. All the Judges and officers of the court present.

Carter & Mason res. vs the City of Portland appl.; trial on merits resumed concluded and cause submitted. Page, Thayer and Mason for res.; R. Williams for appl.

Johial Kendall res. vs W. H. F. McFarland, appl.; decree of last term in this case ordered corrected, from the judgment entry submitted and ordered entered. Strahan and Burnett for res.; Chenoweth for appl.

Jane Roberts res. vs Fendall Sutherlin appl.; argumentaon merits opened. Watson & Willis for res.; Gibbs and Burnett for appl.

The Court adjourned until 9 A. M. to-day.

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THE TERRITORIES.

Arizona is out of debt and has $20,000 cash, in her Territorial Treasury.

John Bert killed J. Morlanda in Tucson, Arizona, on the 25th ultimo.

Several men are now confined in the Tucson, Arizona, jail on the charge of murder.

In Seattle during the year 1872 the number of births was 18; marriages, 25; deaths, 21.

The whole number of deeds for real estate in the city of Seattle, W. T., and the county of which it is the county seat, for the year 1872, was 431, while the mortgages were 145.

There was an installation of officers elected of Olive Branch Lodge No. 4, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, in Seattle, on Wednesday evening last, as follows: G. N. McGunahe, N. G.; C. C. Perkins, V. G.; E. Calvert, R. S., and I. Waddell, Treasurer.

Nookachk Valley, W. T., is 17 miles northeast from Whatcom and now has only about twenty settlers. It produces wheat, barley, corn, oats, peas and potatoes. A large share of the timber has been burned. On the bottom lands are alder, vine maple, some small brush, and a few cottonwoods. On the uplands are some very fine firs.

A man named Ennis, a resident of Georgetown, Colorado, whose wife is visiting in England, last week eloped with the wife of his absent wife's brother. The brother-in-law followed the couple with a bowie knife, but no one was killed, and the deserted man finally concluded to go home and wait to see if Ennis would not return for some other female member of the family.

The Skagit River Valley, in Washington Territory, contains 200,000 acres of agricultural and grazing lands. Its settlement has hitherto been prevented by a jam located about ten and one-half miles from tide-water. As soon as an appropriation can be received to clear away the jam the timber will become available and the land valuable. Then the river can be navigated for sixty miles from the mouth and many of its tributaries will become navigable.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The two Registrars of the Supreme Court at Victoria will be deprived of salaries and will henceforth be expected to subsist upon the fees.

The Chinese employed in a large manufacturing establishment not far from Victoria, struck yesterday, assigning as a reason that they had been "docked" for the Christmas holiday.

The New Westminster *Herald* regards the proposition to create seven Ministers with distaver; but it favors the reduction of the total number to *four*, all of whom should have portfolios.

The *Colonist* says that Lieut. Governor Trutch, of British Columbia, will resign at the close of the present session of the Legislature. It is added that he is an applicant for a position on the Canadian Pacific Railroad as Engineer or Director.

There was a total of 46,148 tons of coal shipped from Nanaimo in 1872, of which 24,369 tons went to San Francisco, 1,778 to Portland, 1,200 to Honolulu, 1,000 to San Diego, and the balance to points in British Columbia and elsewhere, and to vessels calling. The total was 11,000 tons more than for 1871.

Referring to the Canada Pacific Railway, the Ottawa *Herald* says: "A new company is to be chartered, composed of the leading men of both companies chartered last session, with probably Sir Hugh Allan at its head. Directors are restricted as to the number of their shares, and Government directors are to be appointed for each Province.

The British *Colonist* says: Late surveys have developed the fact that the summit of the Rocky Mountains, at Yellow Head Pass—where the Canadian Pacific Railway will come through—is only 3,802 feet above the level of the sea, or some 2,500 feet lower than the summit of the Rocky Mountains at the point where the Central Pacific road crosses.

State Temperance Convention.

The State Temperance Alliance having adjourned to meet at Salem, on Thursday at 10 A. M. February 20th, 1873, it is hereby earnestly desired that zealous and co-operative action be immediately taken by the Executive Committee of each county, and the friends of temperance throughout the State, that a full representation of the temperance element may be had at the ensuing convention.

It is recommended that communities hold mass meetings and elect representatives, and that all temperance and literary societies, all churches and Sunday schools, and all schools of learning, elect and send at least *one* delegate for every *twenty* members.

The officers elected at the last Convention are as follows: President, Elder S. C. Adams; Vice Presidents, Jacob Stitzel, Rev. J. H. D. Henderson and C. H. Walker; Recording Secretary, Jas. A. Smith; Corresponding Secretary, Syl. C. Simpson; J. B. McClane, Treasurer; Chaplain, I. D. Driver; Sergeant-at-arms, W. H. Lewis; Executive Committee, Mr. Worden, of Yamhill county, Prof. L. L. Rogers, of Marion, Thos. Pearce, of Polk, J. H. Lambert, of Clackamas, A. G. Walling, of Multnomah, David Porter, of Linn, Jas. Chambers, of Benton, Wm. T. Baxter, of Tillamook, Steward Aiken, of Lane, Judge Jackson, of Washington, A. B. Meacham, of Umatilla, Wm. Bonham, of Grant, Wm. Mitchell, of Wasco, D. W. Litchtanthaler, of Union, F. H. Grabbe, of Baker, B. F. Giltner, of Columbia, Rev. J. H. Skidmore, of Jackson, John Kykendall, of Douglas, Isaiah Hacker, of Coos, Alanson Hinman, of Clatsop, Mrs. A. J. Dunniway, at large.

It is hoped that members of the Executive Committee, and all others interested, will take such prompt and energetic action, in their several counties and localities, that such a representation of indefatigable temperance workers of sound judgment may constitute the ensuing Convention, that we may be able to place ourselves in such a position that our influence may be felt and recognized.

S. C. ADAMS, President.
SALEM, Jan. 8, 1873.

We do not believe in the doctrine of total depravity, but are of the opinion that boys are hopelessly given to scientific experimenting. A youth in western Kentucky lately gave way to this propensity in church by inserting a package of revolver cartridges in the coal scuttle and waiting for the effect. Presently, after the fire was replenished, the cartridges went off, and the minister and congregation hurriedly followed their example. Well, boys will be boys, you know!

One of the most touching instances of devotion to the memory of the departed is told in a Portland paper. Fourteen years ago an old woman fell dead of the heart disease while winding the family clock at the hour of ten in the morning. On each succeeding anniversary of the melancholy occurrence, that old clock stops at ten o'clock. It is evidently brooding in silence over the remembrances of its old mistress. Such devotion is rarely seen, no, not among dogs.

Col. Forney has entered the lists as a champion of Horace Maynard, of Tennessee, for Speaker of the House of Representatives. He says Mr. Blaine must give way.

The Commissioners to select a model for the monument to Gen. Rawlins have chosen that presented by J. A. Bailly, of Philadelphia.

By Overland Telegraph.

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

EASTERN DATES TO JANUARY 10.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON Jan. 9.—In the Senate a number of bills were introduced, among them the bill raising the salary of Bureau officers in the Executive Department of Washington. Also bill to incorporate the European and American Emigration Company. The bill includes names of a dozen incorporators from as many States. The bill empowers the company to buy, sell and hold real estate, provided it shall not own more than a million acres at any one time; to make and enforce contracts for emigration of foreigners to the United States, or upon hypothecation of real estate mortgages for any period of credit payable by way of annuities or otherwise; to issue bonds to the extent of the value of its assets, and receive money or securities on deposit at legal rates of interest.

Several bills passed, including a bill to authorize Deputy Collectors of Customs to act as disbursing agents in certain cases; the bill to repeal certain provisions of law relating to advancement in the navy; the House bill to amend act to establish a department of justice; the House bill to prevent certain officers of the United States from practicing as attorneys at law or as solicitors in U. S. Courts in certain cases.

The Senate resumed consideration of the Indian Appropriation bill, the consideration of which was concluded. The bill was reported to the Senate, and an amendment providing for the removal of the Winnebagoes and Wisconsin Indians, not concurred in.

The House bill reported from Committee on Commerce to amend section appointment of Shipping Commissioners, by Mr. King, applies to masters of vessels engaged in the coast trade with ports of British North America, West India Islands and the Republic of Mexico. The bill passed.

The House took up a bill reported at last session from Committee on Commerce to promote emigration to the United States. The bill creates a Bureau of Emigration for carrying steerage passengers to the United States. The bill was finally, on motion of Wood, referred to the Committee of the Whole, which practically kills the bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—In the Senate on motion of Wright $1,000 were appropriated to pay the expenses of a select committee to investigate the charges against Senator Clayton.

Wilson introduced a bill for the appointment of a commission on prohibitory liquor legislation.

A bill throwing open all branches of the army to citizens irrespective of race or color.

The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING JANUARY 11 18[illegible]

Utah and Colorado

The bill for the admission of Colorado is likely if present appearances are to be trusted, to be sacrificed to the feeling in Congress on the question of the admission of Utah The Colorado bill was introduced at the last session, and would pass before the 4th of March but for the fact that those who desire the admission of Utah also are determined to have the bill so amended as to include both the Territories in its provision It is claimed by the advocates of the Colorado bill that the Territory has a population of over one hundred thousand souls and that in a very short time the number will exceed one hundred and forty thousand On behalf of Utah it is asserted that its population is now large enough to entitle it to admission under the ratio of Congressional apportionment, and that it is increasing more rapidly in population than any other Territory of the Republic In the matter of population a fair count would doubtless show that both lack a great deal of having the population which would entitle a State to a Congressman It is also more than probable that Colorado would fall further short of the population generally supposed to be requisite, than Utah The latter had, in 1870, according to the census of that year, a total of 86 786, and the former only 39 864 The increase in Colorado has been considerable, but that in Utah cannot have been less

But the want of the population which is supposed to be represented by one Congressman according to the established ratio of apportionment, is not an insuperable objection to the admission of a new State Precedent for the admission, under such circumstances, are abundant. Oregon, Nevada and Nebraska are instances of it Population is an important element for consideration upon the question of admission, but it is not the only consideration Colorado with its small population, could be admitted if it did not have to carry Utah And Utah could be admitted if it did not have to carry polygamy. This is the stumbling block The moral sense of the nation is shocked by a social system so entirely at variance with the spirit of Christian civilization It is not likely, therefore, that Utah can gain admission into the Union, until it comes with a constitution that renders polygamy impossible And unless Colorado can be divorced from Utah, her admission will, in all likelihood, be indefinitely postponed.

Giltner Finds an Advocate

The *Catholic Sentinel* thinks it is not proper for public journals to complain of the indecent conduct of Dr J S Giltner in connection with the schools. It says

It is plain that, if the Doctor has outstepped the law in the premises, the law also offers a remedy, and we reprehend the conduct of the papers publishing the, no doubt, highly colored accounts of the difficulty, for it is plain to every sensible mind, that all this must have a very deleterious influence upon the morals of the children, whose ideas of the respect for the authority of parents and superiors are not very stable now, and will, by such occurrences among Directors and teachers, be eventually entirely destroyed

Let us examine the *Sentinel's* position analytically Its first proposition is in substance that when a public officer violates the law and outrages community, public journals should refrain from mentioning the fact, because the law affords redress This position is refuted when it is stated.

But there are many offenses against common decency, for which the law does not afford any redress There is no legal punishment for Giltner's falsely representing that his attempt to force Miss Taylor out of the school without authority of law, was made in pursuance of an order of the Board of Directors There is no legal punishment for his serving upon teachers who already hold unexpired certificates of qualification, notices signed by himself as Chairman of the Board, and falsely purporting to have been issued by order of the Board, requiring them to appear for re-examination There is no legal punishment for his shameless exhibition of himself before the scholars and teachers of the Harrison street school on last Tuesday morning There is no legal punishment for his thrusting himself between the Superintendent and the teachers under going examination, and blustering about his purpose to "put them through if they don't toe the mark" And, to go back to the foundation of the matter, there is no legal punishment for his converting the school election into a disorderly mob, in order to foist himself into the position he now disgraces, against the protest of nine-tenths of the legal voters of the district of all parties And yet these grievances are tangible and real They are injurious to the schools, they are humiliating to the teachers, they are offensive to good morals, they are without authority of law or precedent in practice, they are simply an intolerable outrage upon the community

The *Sentinel* fears the action of the press in denouncing the conduct of this man Giltner will have a tendency to weaken the respect of the school children for their superiors If it destroy their respect for a man who, by his position, may be regarded by them as a suitable object for their emulation, but who not only in his conduct in connection with the schools, but by his previous life ought rather to be shunned than imitated it will accomplish some good

As to the statement that our accounts of this man's conduct are colored, we stand ready to show that the half has not yet been told

But we apprehend the real secret of the *Sentinel's* objection to our course is discovered in another sentence in the article in question, wherein that journal declares it is not in favor of the public school system as it exists in this city The defense of Giltner is a stab at the schools, and it is therefore a labor of love We say this because the *Sentinel* itself does not hesitate, before closing its article to pronounce another act of the Board of School Directors, "a clear case of robbing the tax payers of the city" If to call the Directors *robbers* will not, in the *Sentinel's* estimation weaken the respect of the children for them, that journal must have very singular ideas as to the characteristics which ought to command respect We have some curiosity to know upon what theory of morals the *Catholic Sentinel* deprecates whatever may tend to weaken the respect of the youth of Portland for a person whom it declares to be a robber

We give this morning an interesting article on the "Hawaiian Islands—Chances for Annexation," written by a gentleman who has lived for some years in the island, and occupied prominent positions in connection with the Government He speaks from personal observation

Hon. E B Washburne, Minister to France has returned to his post of duty.

The Hawaiian Islands—Chances for Annexation

Considerable speculation is being indulged in regard to the annexation of these islands to the United States There can be no doubt that it is desirable that they should be annexed It is the great half way house as it were on the road to China all the South Sea Islands and Australia It is important as a way stopping place and naval station But it is far more important in other points of view to the people of the Pacific coast If it were annexed to the United States it would make the operation more plentiful hone an article of universal consumption—sugar Hawaiian sugars would then come into our ports free of the enormous duty which added to the cost price and freight taxes so highly upon one of our necessary articles of consumption Open to American capital where there are now some twenty one or two sugar plantations on the islands there would be two or three hundred Coffee culture would also spring up and benefit us in the same manner but not perhaps, in the same ratio

But the difficulties standing in the way are great—if not almost insuperable By the telegraph we hear of something stated by Gen McCook as to the probabilities of success He is reported as saying that if the American Minister is a man of management he could accomplish the matter He seems not to know that the American Minister Mr Pierce is properly speaking more of a Hawaiian citizen than even an American or a Massachusetts man of which State he is native That he is the reputed father of Pauahi Mrs Bishop, who is a claimant for the vacant throne, and that besides all he would lose his high rank as Minister, even to that small kingdom, and be obliged to return to fitting out whaleships at Bedford It is not, therefore, probable that his *management* will resolve itself into any thing greater than a 'masterly inactivity' He is also reported as saying 'that in all departments of the late Government, the Americans are in the secondancy' This statement is not true in point of fact and even if it were it might not be of much moment for reasons we will hereafter give. Taking the first great department of the Government, let us see how it is composed There is no Minister of Foreign Affairs The Attorney General, Stephen H Phillips, is a native of Massachusetts, who, in 1867 when the Lackawana affair occurred, in a public speech, 'thanked God that he was not an American citizen' It is not probable his Americanism will be very strong now, without it has grown exceedingly F W Hutchinson, the Dr Longhost of Melville's Omoo, is a Lowland Scotchman of intense British prejudices, whose private opinion, many times publicly expressed, are that all Americans are d—d Yankees, and who has been shivering for fear for the last four years that they would steal the islands from his beloved Royal master, and so terminate his official career Robert Stirling, Minister of Finance, is of the same nationality, tastes and disposition and Hutchinson is his master Not much may be expected of these three who are now the Regency Something over one half of all the Government officials are English and German, and all of them owe their appointments to these three Ministers, and their continuance in office depends upon monarchy and not on annexation. No very great amount of disinterestedness may be therefore expected from them

Almost all the plantations are in the hands of Americans Annexation would destroy the system of slavery called the master and servant law, upon which their plantations are conducted, would bring about competition, and as now situated, their personal damage would be greater than the benefits derived from annexation. Their talk will, as Americans, be publicly for it—but their *strength* will be secretly cast against it

The missionaries, a large proportion of the merchants and three fourths of the natives if they could have a fair and free expression of their will, would favor it This they will not have The last Legislature, which has been called by the Regency to determine the succession, consists of the three Regents sitting as Ministers with the right to vote and and debate, the Governors of four Islands appointed by the late King, four nobles who were personal retainers of the late King, the two prominent aspirants for the throne, Kalakana and Lunalilo, and Bishop, the husband of another aspirant, and five others who are either relatives to the principal aspirants or aspirants themselves Annexation will go begging in that crowd The Representatives number thirty, and sit and vote with the nobles Out of the thirty there will not be more than ten who have not been elected by Government influence or who dare call their souls their own It is said by the *Commercial Advertiser* that the majority of the people favor free government It is also said that no fear of disturbance may be apprehended, that the people are peaceable That is true They are peaceable to an alarming degree, and we may rest assured that they will never weigh the benefits to be obtained from a free government against the hazard of encountering a musket ball Constitution or no constitution, monarchy limited or absolute or even annexation by force still the *people* will be peaceable There will be no disturbance

The Greeks are having a quarrel with the French and Italian governments about the valuable silver mines of Laurium These are the mines which anciently supplied Greece with the silver for coinage and from them came the coins now stored in the collections of antiquaries throughout the world They were abandoned for a long period and it is only two years since preparations were completed for working them by modern processes This preparation was made by a company composed of French and Italian capitalists upon concessions made by the Grecian governments of the right to work the mines with guarantees for protection The company having expended a vast amount of capital its preparations being for work upon a scale more extensive than that upon which any mine in this country is worked, the Greek government now refuses to stand by its concessions, and the French and Italian governments have taken up the matter on behalf of their citizens

We have received the first number of the *Spirit of the West* a new weekly paper issued at Walla Walla In his salutatory the editor J W Ragsdale, says While we may be placed as a Republican we propose to preserve our independence as a man, and shall express our honestly formed opinions without fear or favor"

The paper is of the same size as the daily OREGONIAN, and is neatly printed But we like most the manly tone of its reading matter May brother Ragsdale's *star* long continue to shed its light upon the intellectual world

All through the States East of the Rocky mountains the railway trains and street cars were stopped by the snow during the latter part of December The Eastern journals contain column after column of details of the results of the blockade in different sections And now comes intelligence by telegraph that a similar state of affairs has again set in Mercury has sunk down below zero and the snow is obstructing travel throughout the Upper Mississippi valley How would Oregonians relish this sort of weather? We have had snow to lie on the ground three days during the winter not a day when the temperature was below twenty above zero not three days when it was below thirty

The New Haven *Palladium* says George Francis Train in the tombs is the delight of his fellow prisoners in the tombs He lives upon prison fare and writes innumerable epigrams The kindest thing the Judge can do for him when he comes up for sentence will be to have his mental condition examined into by competent authorities If the man is sane he should have the severest punishment the law allows and if not the sooner he is sent to a lunatic asylum the better He has become a nuisance and ceased to be amusing

Gen Butler in a letter warmly endorsing Secretary Boutwell for Senator to fill the place of Henry Wilson gives Dawes a left handed dig He says, as a reason why Boutwell should be elected he has seen a 'north flood stock list of the Credit Mobilier, and no stock stands to the credit of Mr Boutwell 'with or without accrued dividends He further intimates that he may possibly conclude to take a hand in the Credit Mobilier investigation himself before it is done with

Catechizy does not choke down worth a cent Instead of pining away in disgrace in some out of the way frontier he turns up at Rome with a very important and delicate commission to execute with the Pope for the Czar of Russia He is negotiating the settlement between Pio Nono and Alexander in regard to the new Bishops that are to be nominated in Russia and the pension of the old ones

No doubt the true object of the sailing of the American and British war steamers for Honolulu immediately after the announcement of the death of Kamehameha, was that they might be present to protect the citizens of the respective governments, in case of any emergency rendering action necessary One can readily see that the struggle for the succession might involve foreign citizens in peril

Francis A Walker Indian Commissioner, has resigned in order to accept the chair of political economy in the Sheffield Scientific school

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CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

To the Hon Mayor and Common Council—*Gentlemen* The law regulating the Fire Department strictly requiring it of the Chief Engineer that he shall report annually in full the status of the Department—its deeds during the time under his control, condition and number of cisterns and hydrants, capabilities and extent of property and apparatus of each company and number of fires and alarms, with amount of loss and insurance In compliance with such law allow me to tender you this my annual report for the year a term of office ending December 31, 1872:

ALARMS

During the past year, the number of false alarms has been 20 the number of fires 10

LOSS

The amount of loss sustained by the various parties has reached $326 000 amount of insurance not yet ascertained

CISTERNS

During the past year three new cisterns have been completed and added to the number of those now in use by the Department viz corner Fifth and G streets corner Seventh and Harrison streets, and corner Tenth and Washington streets

RESERVOIRS

Four new reservoirs have also been erected one at each of the following places corner Front and Five streets corner Seventh and Main streets corner Tenth and Main streets corner Fifth and Market streets

APPARATUS.

Since the last annual report, by which the fire apparatus was returned in good order nothing has occurred to render a different report necessary Some slight repairs have been required which I have ordered done, and all again is in order

HOSE

The hose however is as a general thing in bad order During a recent extensive fire the carbolized hose purchased by the city was thus demonstrated to be by far the best as far as it went the cheapest hose to be purchased in the future

ENGINE HOUSES

Your attention has already been called to the fact that the house of Company No 1 is unfit for the use and accommodation of the Company

With regard to Company No 2 I must report their house as totally unworthy of further repair by reason of the settling, of the foundation footing of the roof and various other indications of decay; this house having been occupied fourteen years It must be returned as unsuitable for further occupancy

Company s Nos 3 and 4 occupy houses concerning which I can report the necessary further than that they are both in good order

Hook at Ladder Company No 1 The same report is made concerning the house occupied by this Company as last turned of Company No 4—this house unfit or a much greater length of time

BADGES

Since the annual report of my predecessor the Department has been provided with badges which will count 10 out in a great measure to end doing away with much of the confusion ever consequent upon a fire

CONDITION OF DEPARTMENT

Regarding discipline good order and abilities as firemen I must rank the members of the Department as second to none in the country excelling in all the branches of fire duty

EXPENSES

The expenses connected with the Department have necessarily been somewhat greater than the year preceding amounting in all to aggregate to the sum of $11 540 50

Furniture to following named persons injured by the falling of walls at the time of the fire on the 22d day of December 1872 have ever since been unable to follow their usual occupations to-wit: J F Gallagher and Geo Love seriously wounded Robert Holman R Lomlige J H Moore H H Austin and Kelman slightly

CONCLUSION

In conclusion I would in prose this occasion to most cordially thank every man of the D parts out both by officers or they members for their general energetic and hearty co-operation with me in endeavoring to save life and property Thus doing their duty fire men can to retire to the ranks T [illegible] gentle men I have to express my sincere thanks for your warm support I mean ree recommended by me when deemed expedient and to bid you a kind farewell

Respectfully submitted

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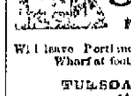

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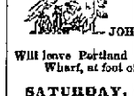

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ONE SPLENDID ROSEWOOD [illegible]

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1 Elegant ROSEWOOD CENTER

1 Elegant ROSEWOOD WHATNOT

1 Elegant MIRROR, French Plate,

60 yds BRUSSELS CARPET,

10 Elegant ENGRAVINGS

ALSO

6 Pair fine DAMASK and LACE CURTAINS.

ALSO

1 HOWE SEWING MACHINE

ALSO

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LOSS OF LOGS.—A very heavy [illegible] tained on Thursday night about [illegible] railroad saw m[illegible] w the [illegible] which confined [illegible] below the [illegible] near the shore [illegible] per and, [illegible] strain brought [illegible] and betwe[illegible] million feet [illegible] As the gre[illegible] began to [illegible] ed, those [illegible] were jammed [illegible] tween the pil[illegible] mendome p[illegible] ved by the w[illegible] and the [illegible] current, sw[illegible] piles like a [illegible] ge stems. [illegible] carried aw[illegible] a few logs se[illegible] mill esc[illegible] he mill was eith[illegible] boom [illegible] ar ed off, in[illegible] there [illegible] but what it [illegible] have [illegible] away The est[illegible] was known [illegible] Cooke, [illegible] Be [illegible] were dispatched a[illegible] thought th[illegible] ed but at present [illegible] company The mi[illegible] the owner of not being [illegible]

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SOCIETY [illegible] For the last two [illegible] ber of men [illegible] been engaged in [illegible] the debris [illegible] ing the brick [illegible] bling mo[illegible] at the corner of Al[illegible] streets It [illegible] Carter's intention [illegible] the rebuilding of a large three story [illegible] site of his former one, as soon as [illegible] can be cleared down to the rock [illegible] Work will no[illegible] be delayed

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...t ROSEWOOD WHATNOT,
...t MIRROR, French Plate
...BRUSSELS CARPET,
...t ENGRAVINGS.
ALSO
...r the DAMASK and LACE CURTAINS
ALSO,
...E SEWING MACHINE
ALSO
...E SIDE BOARD, marble top,
...EXTENSION TABLE,
...ACK WALNUT DINING ROOM CHAIRS
ALSO—
...ant Black Walnut Bedroom Set
VIZ:
...T BLACK WALNUT BUREAU marble top
...T BLACK WALNUT WASHSTAND, marble
...T BLACK WALNUT COMMODE marble top,
...T BLACK WALNUT BEDSTEAD,
...BLACK WALNUT WARDROBE,
ALSO—
...OTTAGE BEDROOM SETS
ALSO
...ISSELS and THREE-PLY CARPETS
...IL, HAIR and SEMING MATTRASSES,
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SATURDAY MORNING JANUARY 11 1873

CITY.

DISGRACEFUL AFFAIR.—Yesterday morning a distressing and disgraceful affair occurred on the east bora portion of Front street in this city The facts as related nearly on eye witness were as follows A little child of the family had been sick for some days with the sore throat caused by a severe cold, and yesterday morning the disease took an unfavorable turn and on the attending physician informing the parents that in all proba bility the child would die the husband com menced abusing the wife and mother of the child and charging her with carelessness in caring for the child, and stated that it was her fault that the child had caught cold and upon her pro testing that she had neglected nothing intention ally, he re affirmed his previous charges in terms more forcible than polite and enforced his views by knocking his wife down with a crutch and when a sister of the wife, who happened to be present, tried to interfere and stop the disgrace ful proceeding transpiring by the death bed of the dying child, the infuriated monster turned upon her and knocked her down and dragged her partly across the room by her hair, and finally threw both mother and aunt from the house when the services of the police had to be invoked to allow the suffering mother to minister to the wants of her expiring babe The acts of the man are rendered the more inexcusable, if possible, from the fact that his whole proceedings seemed to be in perfectly cool blood,—he not having even intoxication to plead in extenuation of his revolting actions He was arrested and lodged in jail He was subsequently arraigned on two charges of assault and battery and plead ed not guilty, but in consideration of the fact that the mother could not leave the suffering child to attend the trial it was postponed until to day at 10 o'clock A M, when the whole affair will be investigated before the Police Court.

LOSS OF LOGS.—A very heavy loss was sus tained on Thursday night about 11 o'clock by the railroad saw mill below the city The boom which confined the logs below the mill, gave way near the shore at the upper end, by the immense strain brought to bear, and between four and five million feet escaped As the great mass of logs began to move down, those near the shore were jammed in between the piling The tre mendous pressure caused by the weight of the logs and the power of the current, swept away the piles like so many pipe stems. Everything was carried away. Only a few logs secured above the mill escaped. If the mill was situated below the boom, which was carried off, instead of above, there is but little doubt but what it, too, would have been washed away. The estimated loss is $35,000 As soon as it was known that the logs had escaped the *S J V Cooke, Mary Bell* and *Jo Holladay* were dispatched after the raft The average luck, it is thought that most of the logs can be captured, but at present the loss falls heavily on the company. The mill has closed again in consequence of not being able to obtain logs

INSANE MAN.—Mr. Thompson, the Deputy Warden from the Penitentiary, brought down yesterday William McFadden, who was adjudged insane a few days ago by the County Judge of Marion county McFadden was placed in the Asylum yesterday evening. This man was con victed and sentenced for life at the fall term of the Circuit Court for Linn county for the crime of incest. After being removed to the Penitentiary McFadden manifested strong symptoms of in sanity, which grew continually worse until it was thought best to have him removed to the Asylum It is stated that he has been laboring under men tal disorder at intervals for the past fifteen years.

A WORTHLESS VAGRANT.—A man named Flynn was arrested over a month ago for stealing and vagrancy, and sentenced to the jail for one month. His term of confinement expired over a week ago. Last evening he was again arrested for vagrancy and begging for whisky, and lodged in jail. Flynn seems to be a hopeless case—be yond reformation We learn that he is an old of fender. Some years ago Flynn was convicted of selling a "charity box" from a Catholic Church in Victoria, and sentenced to three year's con finement. After serving out his time, he came to this city, where he has been a constant source of trouble and expense.

A ROUGH TUMBLE.—A man named Clarkson, who was laboring last evening under the hilarious effects of spirits, lost his balance at the foot of Salmon street and rolled down to the water's edge. The bank at that point is over thirty feet high, and nearly perpendicular. Along this declivity is scattered outlings from the shops, old outings, etc. In the descent Clarkson's face came in violent contact with the sharp corners of the debris, and was severely cut. Had he rolled but a few feet further he would have landed in the water, at the risk of drowning He was picked up, with his face bleeding profusely, and taken away.

REFRACTORY BOVINES.—Yesterday morning the drivers of a number of cattle had a lively time in getting the aforesaid animals on board the Stark street ferry. At one time one of the cattle jumped into the river, and was only saved from drowning by the exertions of several men, who pulled it out They were again crowded on the boat, but seeing a chance for es cape, they all jumped into the river from the end of the boat, swimming ashore at the foot of Oak street The ferrymen, disgusted, moved off for the next side landing, leaving the cattle to wait for the next trip.

AS OPPOSITION STEAMER.—It is rumored that certain parties in San Francisco are making ar rangements to put on a line of opposition steamers between Portland and that point as soon as the Willamette River Navigation Company's steam boats are ready to run and supply them with freight from up the valley As the steamer *Annie Stewart*, and the new boat now being built, will be ready to run in the course of two months, a lively competition in freight and passage may soon be expected between here and San Francisco, if there is any foundation in report.

SOON TO BUILD.—For the last two weeks a num ber of men have been engaged in clearing away the debris and separating the brick from crum bling mortar, at the corner of Alder and Front streets. It is Mr. Carter's intention to commence the rebuilding of a large three story brick on the site of his former one, as soon as the old walls can be cleared down to the rock foundation Work will not be delayed on account of inclem ency of the weather, as the corner is too valuable to be suffered to remain idle long

A SERMON.—A sermon will be preached at the Court House to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock by one Catherine Schorts, on the "Ingathering of souls, for the redemption of spirit, soul and body, to enter into Life Eternal" We are totally igno rant of the creed, faith or doctrine espoused by the sermonizer, but as the pews are free, we would advise all to attend who may have any curiosity to hear what may be set forth by the speaker

PREPARED FOR FIRE.—The sad lesson taught by the late fire in this city has produced a salu tary effect. The Board of Trustees for East Portland have considered very properly that de bris are hazardous sometimes, and have provided against the destruction of the archives of that municipality by the purchase of a large fire proof safe. The safe was moved over yesterday, and is now in the Council Chamber.

INSTALLED.—To-morrow at one o'clock P M the officers elect of the Catholic Library and Chris tian Doctrine Society will be installed into their several offices, at a meeting to be held at the rooms of the Society on Stark street. At the same time and place, the outgoing officers will present their annual reports of the transactions and state of the different departments over which they presided during the year just passed

GERMAN AID SOCIETY.—This Society has en gaged the Masonic Hall in which to hold their fancy, bazar and ball on the 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th of next month. Cordes' Band have been en gaged for the occasion, and the Turn Verein have promised to sing and enliven the evenings by gymnastic and gymnastic exercises The ball will be given on the evening of the 6th.

CLUB MEETING.—There will be a regular meet ing of the Sportsmen's Club at the Police Court this evening. The Constitution By Laws and Game Law included, having been received from the printer, will be turned over to the Club by the committee to whom the matter had been in trusted. Copies will probably be ready for sale by next Monday.

WHO IS HE?—We find the following in the British Colonist of the 7th inst.: "Mr. W Kohl, formerly of this city, will probably be made Post master at Portland, Oregon" Who is Mr W Kohl, and where is he?

EXCAVATION COMMENCED.—Excavation will be commenced to day in East Portland for the foun dation of the new brick building which is contem plated the present season by Messrs Raffety Bros As soon as the weather becomes settled the mason ry work will be commenced Thus far this is the only brick building projected this season by any firm of that city

MAKING PREPARATIONS.—The members of the Washington Guard are making extensive prepa rations to give a grand ball at the Armory on the night of the 22d of February in honor of the birthday of the illustrious father of his country From the preparations made and in contempla tion, the occasion promises to be a grand affair

RAILROAD IRON.—The bark *Active* is receiving a portion of the railroad iron which was dis charged at this port several weeks ago by the *Invincible Nyanza* The bark will complete her cargo down the river with lath and lumber The iron will be shipped to San Francisco and will be used by the Central Pacific Railroad

CARBOLIZED HOSE.—The last steamer from San Francisco brought up 500 feet of carbolized hose which makes the 1,000 feet purchased some time ago by the Chief Engineer, under instruc tion from the Common Council This will meet one of the defi ciencies which the late fire so clear ly demonstrated—want of hose

RETURNED.—Mr J H Brenner late of Albany has returned to this city, the scene of his former triumphs Mr Brenner is well known here and up the valley as a finished performer on the piano and violin He has opened a school at the St Charles Hotel where he will give lessons in music We heartily wish him success.

RECOVERING.—Mr Day, the gentleman who was severely injured by a fall from a wagon in East Portland on last Monday, is rapidly recov ering, and will soon be in a condition to proceed to his home in Clackamas county His injuries are of a far less serious character than was at first apprehended

SENT TO VANCOUVER.—Mr C J Fitzgerald a member of the Hibernian Benevolent Society, who has been taken ill with brain fever, was on Sunday sent to the Sister's Hospital at Vancou ver, by the Society, who are prompt to lend assist ance to sick and suffering members of the Order.

FIREMEN'S ELECTION.—There will be an elec tion on the first Thursday of next month held by the several fire companies of the city Each company will elect a Foreman, First and Second Assistant and three Delegates, which are to con stitute the Board for the coming year.

FOG AGAIN.—Early yesterday morning the fog was so dense that objects could be discerned but a short distance. Over the river it hung unusually dense. In consequence the steamer did not reach Vancouver on her passage up the Columbia for fully an hour after the usual time.

OREGON IRON WORKS.—An annual meeting the Directors of the Oregon Iron Works was held on the 8th inst. The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year President, David McCully, Vice President, D N. Cooke, Secretary J. M Sparrow.

SUNDAY EVENING LECTURE.—Mrs. Dunlway will lecture to-morrow evening at Ore Fino Hall upon "An Industrial School for Portland" Let our citizens turn out *en masse* and give this sub ject the attention its importance deserves

CARGO COMPLETED.—The steamer *Dixie Thompson* returned yesterday from Astoria, having com pleted down the last load of grain for the *Victoria Nyanza* This vessel is now ready to sail for Liverpool

REGULAR MEETING.—A regular meeting of the First Hebrew Benevolent Association will be held at the Vestry rooms of the Synagogue Beth Israel on Sunday, January 12th, at 1½ o'clock P M.

LARGE ATTENDANCE.—The funeral obsequies of the late J. W. Davis was largely attended yester day by the friends of the deceased. The remains were buried in the Lone Fir Cemetery.

POSTPONED.—The case of the three sailors from the bark *Royal* was postponed until ten o'clock this morning, when a hearing will be had before Commissioner Wilcox.

TALKED OF.—We learn that the creation of a Masonic Hall in East Portland the present year, is being agitated by the members of the order of that place.

AMUSEMENTS.

A social party will be given at the American Exchange next Thursday evening.

On Thursday evening next, a social hop will be given at the American Exchange Hotel.

A social dance will be given at Nonpariel Hall on Thursday evening next, by the members of Baker Post, G A. R.

The Hibernian Benevolent Society has selected the evening of the 17th of March—St Patrick's Day—for their annual ball.

The public are promised a capital bill this even ing at the Theater. The entertainment will open with Shakespeare's splendid and attractive comedy of "Taming the Shrew," in which Miss Denin will assume Catharine, and Mr. Waldron Petru chio The romantic drama of "Ireland as it Is" will conclude the performance.

Miss Kate Denin's benefit at Ore Fino Theater last evening was a flattering and substantial tes timonial of the esteem in which that popular ac tress is held by this public. The auditorium was crowded to repletion by an intelligent and refined assemblage of ladies and gentlemen. The pro gramme for the evening was selected with taste and care, and the cast judiciously distributed so as to include the whole strength of the company The leading feature of the occasion was Boucicault's sensational play of "Driven from Home or the Wife of two Husbands," which was presented first. This play was rendered in capital style and was heartily applauded throughout As the close of the play Mr. Piercy recited "Sheridan's Ride' in a manner which won for him hearty applause Mr. Crosbie next recited a burlesque entitled "Schneider's Ride," which fairly convulsed the audience with laughter, and procured an over whelming encore for that special favorite The whole performance concluded with the comical and laughable farce of "A Night in East Port land"

PERSONAL.

John Dolan Esq., who has been absent in the East for the past three months, is a passenger on the *Oriflamme*

Gen. George P Ihrie, formerly connected with the Paymaster's Department of this city, has established a Real Estate Agency in San Fran cisco,

Mr Chas A M. Myers, of Pennsylvania, brother of Geo T Myers, Esq., of this city, will start for Oregon in the spring and will locate in this city

Gen E L Applegate delivered his lecture en titled "Mahomet and the Koran,' for the benefit of the Young Men's Christian Association, in San Francisco on the 6th inst

GLORIOUS NEWS! GLORIOUS NEWS!—The popular and biggest Clothing House in the State escaped the great fire, and will therefore sell for the next sixty days their goods at such low rates as to give all a chance to invest rich or poor Call and satisfy yourself, as we mean what we say above, and no humbug about it

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LONDON FASHIONS for the Winter have arrived at the Millinery Emporium of Mrs Kingsbury corner of Third and Alder streets New Frames and Trimmings are among the attractions Mrs Kingsbury who is from the great metropolis has had many years experience The ladies will find elegant and beautiful goods at Mrs Kingsbury's

Persons wishing to make a present to their friends of a fine easy chair or in article of furniture at once useful and ornamental should go to Harrison & Shindler's

From Maine to California millions of children are wear ing SILVER TIPPED Shoes—Why not, they are the cheapest and never wear through at the toe Try them For Sale by all Shoe Dealers

FOREWARNING OF CONSUMPTION.—Remember that a cough a cold, or some other common affection of the throat or lungs always precedes Consumption, and that all these ailments are cured with absolute certainty by *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* Orlitenton's, 7 6th Avenue For sale by all Druggists

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF PORTLAND.

BY REV D H ATKINSON, D D

[Furnished by request]

The history of a Church of Christ for a series of years in any community, must contain facts of great interest Consider merely its regular Sab bath gathering of families, its social reunions; and forming of new acquaintances and refreshingly and joyful will find elements of great power and value Here ideas of reform spring into action, because here it is to be put, and will rank itself with will, in a united purpose Add to these a fluence the constant impress of God's truth and Spirit upon the consciences, stamping the character with the solemnities of the two worlds, and you have the high est and most effective culture of which the human is capable Born among I od at the hill which now bears Abraham David, Isaiah, Daniel and Paul have upon us even to this day It was not their great learning or wisdom but their godliness that has made them so memorable Augustine, Luther, Knox, or Lunyan, or Wesley could not have made their deep mark upon mankind, except by their relig ion

The connection grows upon the thoughtful, that the finest lessons of life and the choicest and most h peful culture of man are formed in the Church of God The farm the shop the office and the school, furnish important knowledge and discip line for this life but God has endowed his church with a high wisdom and the right, that embraces all of our present being, and grasp for us immor tal things

The man who frequents God's sanctuary lays by his burdens without losing the proper care of them and refreshes his intellect, his affections and his will from divine fountains

It is a repose of the spirit, like sleep for the body It is that normal change of thought and emotion which is needed for the recovery of wea ried and wasted energies Let two laborious men be found, one a constant worshiper in God's house and the other a neglector of it, and in the pro gress of months and years the former will be found the stronger, other things being equal, in body and mind, more intelligent, as well the more up right, more energetic and more prosperous "The hundred fold reward" is given here while the promise of life everlasting gilds the vision of the future This is true of families and of communi ties. The church perfects the family, strengthens its bonds and sweetens its communion It began in the household of the patriarch, and every fam ily has its organic elements, which may be mould ed into form, 'Man alone" says Dr Scott, "of all the inhabitants of the earth, is made capable of feeling, acknowledging and expressing the glory of God" In this he should be trained and nurtured

How beautiful the sight of families around the home altar, or wending their way to God's house of worship

"The hoary head is a crown of glory, if it be found in the way of righteousness."

The history of any true Church of Christ, al though it may have a coloring of its own de nomination, is yet in substance the history of all. Ours is not peculiar Our manual records that, "early in 1838-9, Rev J S Griffin, Rev. Harvey Clarke and Rev G H Atkinson preached occa sionally in this city, then a collection of about a dozen families. In Nov., 1849, Rev. H. Lyman, arrived and commenced preaching and teaching In 1850 he began to build the first house of wor ship, for which the town proprietor, D H. Lownsdale, Esq., gave the lots, and the citizens made liberal subscriptions The edifice was completed at the cost of $6,408 54, of which $4,086 31 were then paid, leaving a debt of $1,955 31, which was afterwards paid.

It was dedicated June 15, 1851, the above named ministers taking part in the services. On the same Sabbath the Church of ten members was organized. Rev. H Lyman was acting pas tor four years and a half from Nov 1849; Rev. G. H Atkinson, one and a half years, not resi dent, from May 1854, Rev. P H Chamberlain was pastor six and a half years from Nov 1855, and Rev G H Atkinson nine and a half years from July 1st, 1863

Rev James D Eaton has been called to act as pastor Jan 1st, 1873

Wm. P Abrams acted as deacon ten and a half years, with one intermission, from July 5th, 1851, N C Sturtevant, four and a half years from July 5th, 1851, James W McKee about two years from July 3d, 1859, G Shindler continues the thirteenth year from May, 1860; L M. Par rish continues the eighth year from March 5th, 1865.

The affairs of the Church have been controlled by the members acting in obedience to the law of Christ, which they believe to be the simple church polity of the New Testament.

The Society, a corporate body, by special act of the Legislature in February, 1851, has con tinued its official existence, and held the proper ty, and been responsible for the material interests of the Church, according to the usual rules of such bodies.

The frequent change of families in this com munity has constantly affected the growth and prosperity of the Church, but in most respects we have made a steady progress

Up to July 1st, 1869, a period of twelve years, eighty-four members had been received, fifty four had been dismissed to join other churches, six had died and two had been excommunicated, leaving twenty two on the church roll at that date From July 1st, 1868, to January 1st, 1873, nine and a half years, the official term of the late pastor, one hundred and thirty eight members have been received, fifty five by letter, and eighty three by profession, forty five have been dismissed to join other churches, seven have died and one has been expelled The whole number of admissions from the first, has been two hun dred and twenty two, dismissions, ninety nine, and excommunications, three, leaving a present membership of one hundred and seven—forty eight males and fifty nine females Of this num ber an average of twenty five are usually absent from the city.

The resident working forces of the church have never been large, yet its services have been regu larly continued "During two intervals, from the spring of 1864 to the fall of 1865, and from the spring of 1869 to the summer of 1869, the church had no resident acting pastor, yet they for the most part succeeded in supplying the pulpit, though often with difficulty and sacrifice At one time when hope began to fail, a beloved sis ter, now in heaven, proposed a series of prayer meetings They were commenced by a few re maining members, who worked faithfully and harmoniously The spirit of prayer was mani fested, and by the blessing of God their hopes began to revive, and the church became more firmly established

The comparatively large addition of twenty eight to the church in 1865, occurred after a series of evening prayer meetings during two months, together with faithful personal efforts by the mem bers to lead others to the Saviour"

The addition of fifty six members in 1867 fol lowed the daily union prayer meetings of many months, together with the labors of Rev R B Earl.

The list of additions are as follows: In 1813 three, 1861, six, 1865, twenty eight, 1866 four 1867, fifty six, 1868 six 1869, ten, 1870 four 1871, fourteen, 1872, seven

Besides the regular services of worship on Sab bath, and of prayer and conference every week, the Biblical instruction of children and youth, and of the mature also, in the Sabbath School, has continued without intermission for more than twenty one years, bringing many hundreds under its influence

The Sabbath School was organized under Mr Lyman's pastorate early in 1851 It was con tinued right on when there was no resident pastor by a faithful few, among whom we remember Mrs Dryer, Mrs Corbett and Mrs Skidmore, Messrs Lyman, Abrams, Sturtevant, McKee, Chamberlain, Glenn, Warren Steel and North rup have been its honored Superintendents, giv ing their best efforts to this service and receiving the assurance that their labors have not been in vain in the Lord

While keeping alive and active its first Sabbath school, members of the Church have of late la bored regularly in three or four other Sabbath schools, two of them mission schools, which give promise of permanent results A few of its mem bers were dismissed two years ago to organize a Church in East Portland

Of the benevolent work of the Church, it may be said that our custom has been to make annual, and also monthly offerings for the poor of the Church and of the community, and for various missionary enterprises, amounting to several hun dreds of dollars per year besides paying our cur rent expenses of two or three thousand dollars per annum This has been done in part by adopting the Scripture rule of tithes as the best index of the measure of prosperity which God has granted us

When the question of erecting a new house of worship was before us three years ago, this rule of giving was continued, or adopted by several members The erection, and completion and payment of the new church in 1870 71 at a cost of $20 000, including donations from others and the gift of the bell, may be ascribed, in part at least, to this scripture habit of giving as God prospers us

During these periods the church and congre gation have given liberally towards many other christian enterprises Among the lessons taught us by past providences and by the Bible, that of personal privilege and a corresponding responsi bility in the church of Christ is clear and impres sive

The Savior invests his disciples with all needed power, and opens the way for their most vigorous activity A wide field of christian work is wait ing to every one and much more to every church

As it has been our purpose so will we continue to try to win souls to the Saviour, and to estab lish them in scripture truth and holiness thus honoring God, and gaining the richest blessing to ourselves

The church and congregation with its new and joyful pastor who comes fresh from the foun tains of religious instruction, attended by the prayers of many Christian friends and for its entry upon an era of greater usefulness and prosperity

In this hope all the good will rejoice, and for it all will devoutly pray

JURY LIST FOR 1873

The following is the jury list for 1873, which was drawn yesterday by the County Court

J C Ainsworth, speculator
John Abraham farmer
Wm Abernathy farmer
H R Arnold book keeper
J F Aiken mechanic
Levi Allison, Justice of the Peace
John Anderson painter
Geo W Bowers carpenter
Wm A Brown farmer
I A Bancroft merchant
E M Burton architect
Wm S Beck Sr gunsmith
J H Bell produce dealer
D J Brett a farmer
W H Bell farmer
G M Barnard saddler
S G Bunting, carriage maker
Wm H Butts contractor
Ed Cranswell farmer
Wm Cornell farmer
J Dana Archer
C B Cole lock speculator
Geo H Cook speculator
J B Cowgill, saddler
Nicl Lee Clinton ship carpenter
T J Carter speculator
R R Riley wood dealer
David Rafferty druggist
J W Reark, farmer
J M Mitchell lumberman
John Rathbun, farmer
John Rines wood dealer
O Haley, speculator
Joseph Smith farmer
Reynold Stanley farmer
John A Shavis, farmer
C L Shepard millman
Benj Sandschad, farmer
Wm Shawers mechanic
H G Shattuck, farmer
Geo L Story, merchant
Wm Sherlock, farmer
G Shindler furniture dealer
James Steel, banker
R O Severance manufacturer
Jas M Stott farmer
Henry Swanughamer, farmer
Robt A Sutherland, farmer
B Stedman wood dealer
E H Sutton photographer
H H Tuttle trader
P Taylor patten maker
Hiram Tibbetts speculator
R R Thompson speculator
J B M Van Cleve carpenter
J D Whitley, speculator
N Walker Esther
D Weinhardgerolo tobacconist
Harry W Inhard brewer
H Weiks grocer
A J Wells speculator
Elias Wallis engineer
M F Wilcox manufacturer
W F Weimer, plasterer
C M Willing speculator
Wm Wadsworth merchant
Geo Weidel speculator
D W Wakefield speculator
H Case jr plasterer
L Case farmer
C Congdon engineer
R J Combs carpenter
John D Ingles farmer
J S Bittner a farmer
H R Belden clerk
C E Dalton furrier
Dunniway farmer
Geo L DeFreas music dealer
Geo M Long farmer
Wm Granton farmer
P Geiser Sr farmer
Squire Hawkins farmer
Clark Ely farmer
E Himes a farmer
Joseph H Wall farmer
Glenn Kelly farmer
Wm Kerns, farmer
Amos N King speculator
Felix Landers, farmer
Enoch Meeker farmer
W T B Nichols, collector
Jacob Ormsby, farmer
W Pierce, farmer
W Proebs sr, farmer
A Patton farmer
J N McIntire farmer
Geo W Shaver farmer
Benj Snover farmer
David Powell, farmer
S B Haddock farmer

COURT PROCEEDINGS

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON, J

FRIDAY, Jan 10.

COMMISSIONERS.

Report of viewers in the matter of the road peti tioned by John A Blavin and others, continued until next term

Petition of W Pierce for aid in building bridge, continued until next term

Report of viewers in the matter of the petition for county road, by Wm. Cornell, adopted and road located according to survey

Adjourned until to morrow.

BUSINESS NOTICES

Immediately after the auction sale at 10 o'clock this morning, A B Richardson will proceed to dispose of all the furniture at the residence of Hon J H Mitchell This lot embraces some splendid furniture and some rare bargains will be offered

Upon the health of the teeth depends the purity of the breath Preserve them unbeclouded by the use of the famous SOZODONT, that perfectly harmless vegetable preparation, and you will never regret it. 21

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A Talk About Tonics.

The object of a tonic is to increase the elasticity and strength of the muscular fibre, and to invigorate the general system As a means of accomplishing these ends, it is expected to improve the appetite and digestive power of the stomach Those are certainly important considerations; but to cure dyspepsia, biliious affections, chronic debility, intermittent fever, and other com plaints involving derangements of the liver, the bowels, the nerves, and the secretive organs generally some thing more than a mere ton ic is required Hostetter's Stomach Bitters may be safely pronounced the best and most wholesome invigorant ex tant but the other special medical properties which belong to this remarkable veg etable restorative have as much to do with the wonderful results it produces as its tonic virtues For example it has certain alterative qualities which literally change the habit or constitution re establishing the healthy functions of the body without causing any undue evacua tion by perspiration vomiting or purging Its entire effect is to put the whole machinery of life in perfect order to purify all the fluids, including the blood and bile, and not only to operate as an antidote to disease, where it exists but so to strengthen, regulate and other wise improve the condition of the system as to render it proof against vicissitudes of temperature, change of winter, infected air, and other predisposing causes of liver and bowel disturbances and epidemic disorders. Hence it is a medicine for all seasons and climes—use ful alike to the traveler and the resident in an unhealthy region, and an invaluable safeguard against the physical disturbances which accrue from cold, damp, inclement weather, as well as against the mental depression which is apt to overwhelm the weak and nervous at this same what gloomy period of the year

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Foggy.

Custom House officers busy

Heavy loss in logs yesterday.

Numerous balls in prospective

Steer clear of muddy crossings

The Columbia is on a standstill

Prepare for St Valentine's Day

Light freights offering for the Sound

At matinee, 2 P M "The Stranger"

Yesterday morning was bright and clear

Poor prospect of sleigh riding this winter

Oil at 1 P M—*California*, for Sound ports

The Tabbri Opera Troupe are not coming here

Due to morrow—*Oriflamme*, from San Fran cisco

Pilot Stevens takes the *Calypso* as far as As toria

Frank Arnold of the postoffice, is still on the sick list

Coal reported in quantities forty miles east of this city

The *Active Trap* did not arrive until noon yesterday

Officers of the *California* report stormy weather on the Sound

Portland for its rank as a city has the greatest number of societies

Our contemporaries are crowding literary columns drums at each other

WILLIAM CURTONIAN now ready in wrappers at the business office counter

Raffle at Bruen's to night—diamond earrings—value, $250, chances, $2 50

Weekly soiree this evening at Cardenbolt's, corner Ash and Front streets

It was no go—so the patent medicine vender packed up early last evening

The new corner of A and First streets presents a pretty good farm yard scene

When oh when, pedestrians ask us, are the street crossings to be cleared of mud?

Boys were engaged in carrying chairs from up First street to the Theater last evening

Ten young ladies are wanted at the Ore Fino Theater to appear in the new play—"School"

The *Senator* left her wharf at a much later hour last evening than usual, for Oregon City.

Two feet and ten inches more rise will bring the river on the lower story of the O S N. Co.'s wharf

Persons who desire to terminate their troubles suddenly, should 'brake' for the railroad immediately

Had she not encountered fog in the river, the *California's* run from Victoria would have been an unusually quick one

J H Beadle, author of "Life in Utah," and spicy correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, who visited this city about a month ago, was married at Evansville, Ind to Miss Jennie A. Cole, on Christmas evening

More care should be taken by the ushers at the Theater to close up the passages to the street, as a current of very cold air pours through the au dience from the entrance The comfort of theater goers should be consulted at all times.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICES

On Sunday morning the Rev John Rosenberg, will deliver a sermon on "Miracles" at the St Stephen's Chapel, at the corner of Fourth and Madison streets.

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Written for the Oregonian.

THE REGISTERED LETTER.

A Tale of Washington Territory.

BY BORAX.

Mr. Peterman had been detained in the town of , in the Territory of Washington, several days on business, and expecting an important registered letter to reach him there. In his repeated inquiries for it he had been so worried and snubbed by the pompous little postmaster, that he determined on a plan of revenge. His business required him to travel from thence to Olympia by way of the old military road, which passes through quite a thickly settled region, and his project was to call at every house and leave word that there was a registered letter for the man or lady of the house, as the case might be, at the aforesaid postoffice, and that the postmaster requested him to ask them to go for it immediately. Mr. Peterman prided himself on his keen sense of humor, and it was with the most complacent feelings of admiration of his own witty self, that he started off one morning on what proved to be an eventful journey. When fairly outside the city limits he stopped at the very first house, and politely inquiring who lived there—as if to make sure of delivering his errand correctly—told the tale he had so ingeniously invented. But to the astonishment and horror of Mr. Peterman the mistress of the house gave him to understand that she was the mother-in-law of said postmaster, and had returned within half an hour from a visit to him; and at the inevitable signs of confusion and embarrassment on the part of Mr. Peterman, the lady became decidedly hostile, and turned loose half a dozen hungry hounds upon the traveler, and although he fled precipitately to his horse, the dogs managed to get several hurried but judicious nips at the calves of his legs and small of his back. This first attempt would have been a damper to any one having a less acute appreciation of the comical, but the jolly Peterman was not in the least discouraged. It was an exquisite joke, he thought, to run on the old fellow's mother-in-law the first thing. So he rode merrily along to the next house, half a mile further on, saying, as he alighted from his horse, "here goes for the grandmother." Now, unfortunately again for Mr. Peterman, the old farmer at whose house he now delivered the false errand, was building himself a new kitchen, and had invited a number of his neighbors to assist him to raise the frame that morning. Among others, the son of the postmaster himself had come out from town to lend a helping hand, and of course exposed the falsehood. The old farmer and his friends made up their minds that whoever would go out of his way, as it were, to tell such an uncalled for lie, must have some sinister object in doing so; and after a hasty consultation they concluded the stranger could be no other than Shultz, a notorious criminal and outlaw, who had lately escaped from the Oregon State Prison, and was popularly supposed to be hiding in Washington Territory, and for whose recapture a large reward was offered. Bill Appleton, a retired sailor, suggested that here was a chance for prize money. One thousand dollars! dead or alive!

Mr. Peterman had lingered a little to hear how his news would be received, and through the half opened door, he heard the low, ominous words, "catch him alive! catch him alive, if you can!"

They acted like magic on the terrified man, and in a twinkling he was on his horse. But not until twenty men were after him with ropes and chains, axes, pitchforks, hatchets, and what few rusty fire-arms the house afforded.

Peterman only looked back once in his flight to see them all pause in their pursuit, and to extract a hand-axe from the left shoulder blade of the old farmer that Bill Appleton, in his mad haste for prize money, had wildly thrown at the supposed outlaw.

As soon as the traveler had recovered from his fright, he comforted himself with the thought that he must have struck the Territorial Insane Asylum at this last place, and there couldn't be any more of them. So he stopped boldly at the next house, and again repeated the story of the mythical registered letter. This time he was listened to with perfect confidence; and thus encouraged, he kept on his way repeating the same story, varying it only as the distance from town increased, and the credulity of his listeners required.

Of all his many victims, none so eagerly received the news of the registered letter as poor, lazy Mike Hogan.

It was the evening of the second day's ride, that Mr. Peterman stopped in front of Mike's house and inquired who lived there.

"Mike Hogan, sir."

"Is he at home?"

"That is my name, sir."

"Well, Mr. Hogan, I have an errand to you from the Postmaster at . He requested me to stop on my way and tell you that you must come right into town and receipt for a registered letter that is there for you."

"A rigesthured letther—an' what is that, now?"

"Why you see that somebody has sent you some money,—greenbacks, you know,—by mail, and they put it in a registered letter, that there can be no mistake in your getting it. The Postmaster showed it to me, and there must be two or three thousand dollars in it. I should think. Anyway, you had better lose no time in going for it."

"*Go for it?* go for it, is it? You bet your swate life I'll go for it the morrow."

There was no more peace for poor Mike. He pressed Mr. Peterman to put his horse in the barn and stay over night with him, and the invitation was very gladly accepted, for the next stopping place was a long way off. Before they retired for the night, the insatiable Peterman told Mike that when he arrived at the town, if it should happen to be late, that the postmaster and his family lived up stairs over the postoffice, and if they were asleep, Mike must hammer on the door, when the postmaster would come down and deliver up the letter. And Mike, in turn, declared his intention of not waiting for daylight, but that he should start for the town about the middle of the night; and as he was a bachelor his guest for the night must get his own breakfast in the morning. So about 12 o'clock Mike arose quietly, that he might not disturb his guest, and started off on his long, wearisome tramp with a light heart. He had hardly got beyond hearing from the house, when, in the darkness, there came skulking along the veritable and dreaded Shultz himself, who, tired of tramping on foot, and hearing Mr. Peterman's fine riding horse champing his oats in the barn close by the road side, had noiselessly opened the stable door, saddled the horse and rode peacefully off to some of his secure hiding places. When Mr. Peterman arose in the morning, and discovered his horse was gone, his anger and mortification were intense. He at once accused Mike, to himself, as the thief. Here was a fix! He couldn't go in pursuit, for all the population between Mike's place and the town, he very well knew, would murder him at sight; and well they might. Seeing that there was no other way for him but to patiently foot it to Olympia, he decided at least to have revenge on Mike for his perfidious act. And without more ado, he at once set fire to the barn with its winter store of hay and oats, and to the house itself; and when they were both well blazing, he espied in a field near by, a large pile of cedar rails, and determined to leave nothing but a waste of ashes for Mike, he started to burn them also,

Mr. K——, the Sheriff, had been down to the lower end of the county on some official business, and having taken up early start, was returning home. As he came in view he was astonished to see Hogan's house and barn in flames, and a man in the very act of setting fire to some fence rails. So infatuated was the wretched Peterman, that he never heard the approach of the sheriff until there was no escape. Listening to none of his explanations and protestations, the Sheriff took a pair of handcuffs from his saddle-bags, and fastened them on the wrists of his unresisting prisoner; and tying his feet together with the halter rope, he threw the unhappy man over the horn of the saddle in front of him, as the hunters carry a deer, and started off on a lope for the county-seat and the jail.

Mike took another and nearer road, and therefore saw nor heard nothing of the sheriff and his prisoner. It was past 11 o'clock at night when he reached the town. He went to the postoffice and the shutters were up. The postmaster and his family had long ago retired. It had been an awful day for them too. Never in its history had the little city seen so much excitement. Ever since the early morning crowds of people had been calling for registered letters until the thoroughly bewildered and exasperated official swore, that the "next man dies."

The next man, however, happened to be Jim Charlton, from Burnt Bridge Creek; a man that weighs two hundred and thirty pounds, and was tall in proportion. When he explained that he "wanted that ar greenback letter of his'n," the postmaster, rather hesitatingly, it must be confessed, insinuated that he was about to put an end to Mr. Charlton's existence, as there was no letter for him, nor would there ever be.

Jim was informed at what he supposed to be the dishonesty of the postmaster, and quick as lightning, he reached through with his long muscular arm, and grasping the unfortunate office-holder, pulled him quite through the delivery window, much to his personal injury and to the utter ruin of the fragile frame work of letter-boxes, and when the postmaster was finally rescued the doctor had to sew on his other ear.

It was not therefore in a pleasant mood that the bruised and wounded official heard Mike hammering on the door. He called up his wife and oldest son, and held a council of war. Mike became vexed at the delay and hammered away louder than ever. This decided the family to treat him like a burglar, and the old man opened fire immediately on Mike from the up stairs window, with a navy revolver—all the shots were found the next day in the door of a shoemaker's shop across the street—his son went down stairs and banged away through the shutters, with number three shot, while the old lady did far more execution from the cellar window, with a four pronged fork. She caused Mike after one or two vigorous thrusts in the abdomen, to crawl off on his hands and knees.

Mr. Peterman, the guilty cause of all these misunderstandings was tried and convicted, at the next term of court, for arson. But the judge was lenient in his sentence, for the miserable Peterman proved his previous good character, and respectability, beyond all question, and in consideration of this, he got off with only fifteen years solitary confinement, at Steilacoom.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE PORTland Postoffice Jan. 11, 1873.

Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they are advertised.

LADIES' LIST.

Abbott, Mrs Mary	Morris, Mrs D
Anderson, Mrs Amelia	Morse, Mrs M
	Minkler, Miss Julia
Bolles, Miss Annie	Miller, Mary F
Bartlett, Miss Annie	
	O'Donald, Mrs E A
Carriell, Mrs Chas	Penquin, Miss Alice
Chappellier, Miss M	Porter, Mrs E
	Pool, Miss E
Foster, D S	Porter, Mrs D S
Foscroth, Mrs	
Gibbins, Mrs M C	Richardson, M E
Goachin, Mrs	Robeson, Mrs A
Hutchenson, Mrs A F	Simmons, Mrs C
	Stowe, Miss C
Jones, Miss Annie	Sells, Miss C
	Stephens, Mrs S A
Knox, Miss D	Whitcomb, Miss C
Lyon, Mrs Gennel	Wicks, Mrs J J
Lewis, Miss E E	

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Albert, Henry	Fisher, A M	Miller, J D
Almoide, Antony		Mitchell, J C
Alger, Hollis	Gemmell, Alex	
Armstrong, D B	Green, T B	Mooning, John
Armstrong, Arthur	Gill, Chas	Norton, Wm
	Gibson, P J	
Blanchet, John	Goachin, John	O'Donald, W H
Blain, Samuel		
Byars, J	Harvey, Richard	Paine, C D
Blake, Wm P	Hall, W F	Perrin, Geo J
Blake, Wm	Hebble, Joseph	Porter, E
Bartlett, F H	Horatz, Peter	
Berry, Patrick	Hughson, G W	Rutter, John H
Bickleman, F B		Reynolds, B P
Bickleman, Fred'k	Jakes, B	Reynolds, J C
Bowton, Walter	Jennings, Albert	Rose, J W
Boehmer, Jacob	Johnson, O	
Burris, L R	Johnson, A H	Spencer, G W
Brown, Lewis	Johnson, L	Springer, N
Brachford, Allen	Johnson, Samuel	Savage, Thomas
		Scott, Conway
Callaghan, M	Kelly, O L	Sherman, J W
Callahan, S	Kelly, Dennis	Shipley, J R
Cuyo, James	Kennedy, Wm	Stinken, C H
Carsher, Owen	King, G H	Smith, Wm
Cary, Ed H		Smithson, H C
Correll, Wm	Lockman, L	Storey, J E
Collins, Mr	Larimer, A B	Slotter, D
Colborn, Wm	Lamma, W S	Seagneah, Mr
Connybig, John	Lalboy, P H	Sebbins, A
Connatrio, M	Lewis, O B	Strom, John
Cummings, Mr		
	Mayhew, L	Tierney, Frank
Davidson, J P J	Merry, John	Turner, Sherman
Davis, W R	Moyer, H	
Davison, John	McKnight, John	Unthank, J
Daily, J L	McHenry, P H	
	McLean, H	Vandevoort, W P
Flannagan, Mike	McLeod, F	Vanrant, J
Farnsworth, W C	McFarland, P	
Fraser, Nicholas	Morse, F	Zimmer, O
Francis, H H	Morris, H G	Zimmerman, J
Findley, James	More, John	

L. H. WAKEFIELD, P.M.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING, Jan. 9, 1873.

Gold in New York to-day, 112½.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 83½c buying; 89½c selling.

Gold bars are quotable at 800 fine.

Wheat in Liverpool—Average, 12s 7d@12s 9d; Club 12s 2d@12s 4d.

From the reports of our Eastern exchanges, it is seen that the stringency in the Money market has not at all been confined to the Pacific coast, but that it has been equally severe in all the great Money centers on the Atlantic seaboard. The commercial writers of the country have expended much time and writing material in the development of high sounding theories as to the cause and remedy of the evil, but in most all cases they have failed to make the matter clear to their readers, and the great masses of the public are now only in possession of a knowledge of the fact that many enterprises and branches of commerce are crippled and embarrassed while others are standing still, on account of what can be called by no other name but an actual inadequacy of capital to properly conduct the legitimate business of the country. Beyond this the public is not at all agreed on any one point.

The causes assigned and remedies proposed are almost as various as individual minds. However, we are glad to note that our several exchanges from the older cities of the Union are generally inclined to the belief that, with the turn of the year, a relief is to come from some quarter, and we are sure that from whatever source it may come, it will be heartily welcomed in all business circles. The *Commercial Herald* of San Francisco on this subject says:

There is reason to believe, however, that a change for the better is near at hand. The release of money from the Treasury for the extinction of a portion of our floating debt; the constantly arriving receipts for our heavy grain exports, the declaration of dividends by corporated bodies, and the return of money loaned to the interior, will combine to ease the market. It is nevertheless true, that the increase in business of all kinds is more rapid than the increase in the volume of funds with which it is transacted, and a good many millions more could be profitably used in this State. Rates have ostensibly undergone no change, but remain at 1@1½ per cent. per month in commercial, and 10@12 per cent. per year in savings banks.

Business in our local Money market presents no extraordinary movements. The course of the market is in favor of steady, if not advancing rates of discount. It is quite likely to rule close for two weeks or possibly longer, but all concur in the hope that January will not pass without witnessing a melioration in the tightness so long prevailing.

The Late Decline in Iron.

One of the leading commercial journals of New York, in commenting on the change which has taken place in the condition of the Iron trade in this country and Great Britain, says:

It seems to be the opinion of consumers as a class, that a crisis has been reached, and that prices must continue to decline until they again touch the point at which, about eighteen months ago, the advance began. The opinion is only in part correct. A crisis has certainly been reached in the Iron trade, but it is only a crisis in artificial values. As showed in these columns nearly a year ago, the advance in prices which carried Iron up to $55 per ton for No 1, was based upon the actual condition and necessities of the trade. Consumption had overtaken production stocks were reduced to a nominal amount, the demand was active and the necessities of consumers imperative. Then it was suddenly discovered that the world was using more Iron than was being made, speculators became active, large consumers bought all they could find, smaller consumers bought all they could carry, and the result was a panic. Under such conditions it is not to be wondered that the price of Iron advanced far beyond its actual value, and that the producers knowing that no immediate and rapid increase of production was possible, should have taken advantage of the opportunity thus afforded them to reap the enormous profits placed within their reach. But the effects were what might have been expected. High prices checked the consumption to many directions, and compelled an economy in use which would not otherwise have been observed. Many important enterprises were suspended, the ironless of new railroads was postponed whenever such a postponement was possible, and in a thousand ways the demand fell off. At the same time there was a marked and rapid increase of production. More than fifty new furnaces have been put in blast during the past year, and as many more old and abandoned have been refired and put to work, and the production of the country has increased by many thousand tons. These facts have not escaped the notice of Great Britain, and a general disposition has prevailed to defer purchases until better terms were offered. Producers, however, preferred to hold their Iron rather than sell below the highest prices, and consequently considerable stock have been accumulated and the market has broken under them. It is also said that there has been a change of policy on the part of producers, and not to bow down before the dethroned Iron until the end of the year shall be as great as possible, so that next year consumers shall have the inducement to buy in a rising market. On this point it is unnecessary to express an opinion. Nor is it necessary to say when the desire will be gratified. We believe that no more Iron is being produced than can be consumed at fair prices, and when the fictitious value which has disappeared the legitimate demand will again assert itself. There is, therefore, nothing in the present decline to discourage the liberal investment of capital in the production of Iron, for it must be many years before the supply, at reasonable prices, shall equal the actual requirements of the country.

American Railroads.

[From the New York Chronicle.]

Three-fourths of the railroads in the United States are in a sound financial condition, and of the remainder a very inconsiderable proportion have ever been fortunate enough to borrow money in any foreign country. When such cases have happened, the negotiation has sometimes been infected with some irregular financial taint, such as is hinted at above. Of the $7,000 million which make up our railroad system, nearly 20,000 miles have been constructed during the past three years. Assuming the cash outlay to have been $35,000 a mile, we have paid out 700 millions of our capital on railroads during the last three years, giving an average expenditure of 233 millions of do lars a year, about one third of which sum we have probably raised from Europe. But these roads, though often very weak, do not seem to